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MORALE OF GERMANS DECLARED AFFECTED

English Writer Says Death Blow of War Is Near.

(By the International News Service.) London, Sept. 10.—Gen. Sir O. Moore Craig, writing in the Weekly Dispatch on "why the war will end this winter," says:

"Recent events in all theaters of war have been uniformly successful for the allies. The Austro-German armies have everywhere received severe blows while their allies are in a precarious state. The central alliance has been defeated, not crushed. The only acceptable finish can be their complete crushing, so as to prevent further mischief."

"The German nation realize the hopeless situation before complete surrender will be brought about. Already the morale of the nation is affected. The Germans no longer talk of annexing their neighbor's territory. Their general staff bulletins are filled with bigger lies than ever. These stimulants are required to keep up the people's spirits."

PIGEONS STOP CLOCK.

Perch on Minute Hand and Town Loses Time.

Randolph, Mass., Sept. 10.—Pigeons were the cause of a disarrangement of Randolph's time schedule, when the town clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church, in Central square, was stopped at 9:45 o'clock.

On a close investigation it was observed that pigeons were perched on the minute hand of the clock face on the north side of the spire, and it is thought that their weight caused the clock to stop.

Five Hurt in Fire.

New York, Sept. 10.—Five persons living in 227 West Thirty-ninth street were injured by burns and scores of others narrowly escaped injury in a fire early today. About sixty of the occupants sought safety by clambering on the fire escape landings where they were later rescued.



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RUSSIANS SUFFERING FROM FOOD SHORTAGE

Berlin Reports Great Rise in Cost of Living.

(By the International News Service.) Berlin (via Saville), Sept. 10.—The cost of living in Russia has increased enormously according to the Italian newspaper Secolo's Petrograd correspondent whose reports on the situation are widely quoted in the German newspapers.

Many shops have been closed, the correspondent says, because their owners were unable to sell their wares at the prevailing maximum prices. The sale of meat is forbidden throughout Russia on four days of the week, from Tuesday until Friday.

Budapest dispatches from Petrograd state that the meatless days were fixed because of the increased prices. Other victuals, especially vegetables and fruit, are 100 per cent dearer.

These reports are borne out by Stockholm advices from Petrograd which assert that the food crisis in the Russian capital is increasing.

SPLIT PARTY AWAITS RESULT OF MAINE VOTE

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similar unanimity. Efficiency, economy, reform of the diplomatic service, right adherence to the civil service law, it was agreed, are good things, but academic and without sufficient driving power behind them to stir the public in a great national campaign.

Concerning the other issues—Mexico, the tariff, Americanism, including preparedness, and the eight-hour law, there was some division of opinion. But the general view was that whatever their respective merits it was time lost to preach them in either sure Democratic or sure Republican States such as those named.

New York, New Jersey, and the Middle West, particularly Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, with perhaps Iowa and Missouri thrown in, are the States to be won, according to the reports received here, and upon them every effort of the big guns, including Hughes, ought to be concentrated.

This old guard opinion fortified itself behind the general lack of enthusiasm of the Western tour. It attributes the sagging of the campaign to inefficient management and points to specific instances as proof. Hughes, it declares, ought never to have been permitted to become enmeshed in the California situation. If he was going to California at all, he should have waited until the Senator primaries there had been held. Hughes again, it is observed, never should have gone to Tennessee at all, but if he was going there, care should have been taken in advance to have some sort of a labor demonstration for him to address on Labor Day, so that he would not have been put in a position to be snubbed by the organized labor element.

Again, while the candidate's reception in Maine has been more enthusiastic than any he has yet received, the advisability of pulling the eight-hour issue with but three days of the campaign remaining is questioned. And there is severe criticism of his reluctance in asking by name the election of Hale and Fernald, the Republican Senatorial candidates in Maine, and his failure to bear harder upon Americanism and preparedness in the State where the Democrats have made that one of their chief issues.

Demand More "Pop." It is a fact, of course, that this is old guard criticism and that there may lurk behind it a feeling of disappointment and resentment over the fact that Mr. Hughes has seen fit to ignore, to a large extent, these old guardmen and conduct his campaign along lines of his own personal selection.

What the old guard followers are demanding today is the infusion of more "pop," a conference in New York upon Hughes' arrival there Wednesday, and a general waking up to the situation. A remarkable feature of the affair which is not without its pathos is that these same old guard leaders who were instrumental in defeating Col. Roosevelt are urging that he be called in now to prescribe for the patient.

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"WEASEL WORDS" BY WILSON, SAY "SUFFS"

Miss Lucy Burns Claims President's Speech Don't Satisfy.

Since President Wilson's speech on suffrage at Atlantic City, the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage is more determined than ever to assist the Woman's Party in its campaign against Mr. Wilson and the national Democratic ticket, according to Miss Lucy Burns, vice chairman of the Congressional Union.

"President Wilson's speech at Atlantic City," said Miss Burns, "what he believed in woman suffrage; that 'it was coming' and so on. But he did not say one word to explain his hostility to the Federal suffrage amendment for the past four years."

Federal Amendment Practical. "A pamphlet was only recently put into his hands by a Virginia representative of the Virginia Federation of Labor, showing that many State constitutions cannot be amended. Miss Burns asserted that 'the Federal amendment course was the only practical, as well as the only dignified one to follow in the future.' 'The point is,' she said, 'that the national work is supported by women voters. State work eliminates these voters from the suffrage situation. That is why Mr. Wilson and Democratic politicians advise us to work by States only. Needless to say, all these 'weasel words' will have no effect whatever on the campaign the Woman's Party is now waging against Mr. Wilson."

President Wilson is trying to meet facts with words; and he will not be successful."

SAVES POLISH FAMILY FROM DEPORTATION

President Rescues War Zone Victims from Ellis Island.

Admitted into the United States by the personal intervention of President Wilson after having been held at Ellis Island, Mrs. Sore Schimelzon, a widow from Wistnietz village, in Polish Suwalk, Russia, began yesterday morning a three days' fast in gratitude for her escape from the horrors of war. It is probable that had the President not interested himself in the refugees, she, with her two children, Esther, 15, and Reuben, 11, would have been deported, as they arrived here penniless.

The story of the Schimelzon woman was brought to the attention of the White House by a Polish refugee. With her husband and two children she lived happily in the Russian village until the outbreak of the war.

Schimelzon, who was a baker, was accused by Russians of selling bread to the Germans during the occupation by the German forces. He was taken from his family and later found dead in the synagogue, a bullet wound in the head. The Hebrew Society took up their case here.

BEEES YIELD \$10,000. Honey to This Amount Gathered Within One Week.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 10.—Beekeepers have reaped a \$10,000 crop of honey from the Eastington daisy fields, during the past week, according to reports made by the Philadelphia Beekeepers' Association, at the apathy of Capt. J. W. Eaton, Eastington.

The further statement was made that the crop of honey in the entire Philadelphia district, which will come from the present clover and daisy fields, will be worth more than \$100,000.

RECOMMENDED TO HIM BY A FRIEND

Well Known Traveling Salesman Relates a Very Interesting Story.

Any person can be well, wholesome, happy, vivacious and successful; have a clear skin and complexion, strong brain and perfect development. It is the heritage of every one, and can be attained if nature is assisted in the proper way. The new herbal system tonic, Plant Juice, is designed for just that purpose—to assist nature.

It is a remedy that puts the stomach in perfect condition, thus acting directly on the blood, liver and kidneys. Not a day passes but what testimonials from local people are received in the cities where Plant Juice has been introduced, giving glowing accounts of how they have been restored to health.

Only recently the following signed statement was received from P. H. Vivian, who travels out of Philadelphia for a well-known firm, and has hundreds of acquaintances and friends in Washington. He said:

"I have been on the road for a number of years, and the food that I was forced to eat in various hotels aggravated a bad case of stomach trouble that I suffered from. My liver was torpid, and at times I suffered greatly from pains in my side and back. The stomach trouble finally terminated in an aggravated case of indigestion and dyspepsia, or at least that was what it was pronounced. When I would eat a meal the food would ferment in my stomach, turn sour and gas would form, which was always painful and very disagreeable. What little food I did eat did not seem to do me any good. I was nervous and never slept good. A friend of mine recommended Plant Juice, saying he knew of a friend of his who had been cured of the same symptoms that I had by it. I was in Pittsburgh and bought a bottle. I began to use it, and noticed almost immediate relief. My trouble is all gone now, and I can eat any kind of food, and do not have any bad after-effects; sleep the night through and, in fact, I am entirely cured. I am recommending Plant Juice to all my friends who suffer with stomach trouble."

The Plant Juice Man is at the People's Drug Store, corner of 7th and E. N. W., where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy. Free samples given—Adv.

HIDE IN OAT BINS

Alleged Gamblers Dive Under Grain to Escape Police.

New York, Sept. 10.—Police Captain Edward P. Hughes, of the Classon avenue station, who is under charges for failing to locate an alleged gambling house, raided a stable at 462 De Kalb avenue last evening and rounded up eleven prisoners, who are said to have figured in a crap game.

The police surrounded the stable and broke in the door. On the second floor, surrounded by bales of hay and bins of grain, eleven men were engaged in a crap game with money sprinkled on the board, according to the captain. As soon as they saw the police, the men scattered and many tried to avoid arrest by diving into the oat bins.

A. F. OF L. SUPPORT PLEDGED BY GOMPERS

Labor Leader Promises Backing to New York Carmen.

(By the International News Service.) New York, Sept. 10.—President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor tonight, after a conference at the Continental Hotel, issued a formal statement pledging the moral and financial support of the federation to the striking carmen.

This was taken to mean that there will be no general strike of all industries.

Mr. Gompers' statement said: "The conference, representing organized wage earners in Greater New York and vicinity, on behalf of themselves and those they represent, pledge to the striking street railway men their undivided moral and financial support; that they will and do urge their fellow-workers—union or non-union—to render their moral and financial support to the contesting street railway men; that the great rank and file of workers of Greater New York and vicinity will do nothing directly or indirectly that will aid the railway companies in their effort to defeat the men and crush the spirit of the workers."

WILL PROTECT GIRLS

Young Men Organize as "Sister's Keepers."

New York, Sept. 10.—"We must be our sisters' keepers as well as their protectors," is the new slogan of the Senior Police Force, which organized at the East Side Protective Association Building.

Harry H. Schlacht, president of the association, issued an appeal a few days ago to young men who desired to join the Senior Police movement as a protection to their sisters and to girls who have no brothers to look out for them.

WOMEN'S FOIBLES BANNED

Italian Official Forbids Luxuries in Apparel.

Rome, Sept. 10.—Minister of Industry and Labor Giuseppe di Nava has published a decree forbidding excessive luxuries in feminine apparel during the length of the war.

British Flier Killed

London, Sept. 10.—Flight Commander Clark was instantly killed today while aeroplaning over the eastern counties. His aeroplane collided with another machine in midair and he was dashed to earth.

ROBBERS SPLIT WITH VICTIM

Have Pity on Man Because of Wife's Illness.

Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 10.—"I'll split fifty-fifty with you," said a highway robber to W. Stewart Griscom, of Philadelphia, after he had held up Mr. Griscom's motor car in a lonely road near this city early today and taken \$50 from him.

Mr. Griscom explained to the highwayman that his wife, who was in the automobile, was ill.

TO TEST PRISON SYSTEM

"Bad Men" Sent to Osborne to Be Reformed.

Sing Sing, N. Y., Sept. 10.—In order to test the efficacy of Sing Sing Prison's Mutual Welfare League as a reformer of "bad men," two of the worst prisoners in Clinton Prison at Dannemora, N. Y., were transferred today to Sing Sing.

Thomas Mott Osborne, the warden, is confident that the league will succeed in reforming the two men.

Snake Bite May Kill Trooper

El Paso, Sept. 10.—Private Raymond R. Lonskerker, Pennsylvania National Guard, is expected to die from a rattlesnake bite received this afternoon. He is from Lancaster, Penna.

COST OF PAPER HITS RELIGIOUS JOURNALS

Publications May Be Forced to Quote Higher Rates.

Special to The Washington Herald. New York, Sept. 10.—The price of paper, which has advanced from 100 to 200 per cent or more over prices prevailing a year ago, seriously threatens the life of a large number of publications throughout the country and greatly lessens the profit of others.

It is doubted if any other large industry in the United States has had to face so serious a situation, comments the Manufacturers' Record, because when prices of raw materials have advanced the manufacturers of the finished products have advanced their prices and thus thrown the burden on the ultimate consumer. In the newspaper business this has not yet been done. The newspapers, from the largest dailies to the smallest weeklies, have been bearing the burden which to many publications will mean complete destruction and to many others the wiping out of all profit.

Had the newspapers of the country been as prompt to defend their own interests as they have the interests of others, they, too, would before this have undertaken to save themselves by an advance in subscription price and in advertising rates.

Under existing conditions they will be forced to do this sooner or later, and they cannot postpone it much longer without serious financial embarrassment to many of them. Hundreds of the smaller weeklies, including the religious papers, which have but a very narrow margin between loss and profit, will, we fear, suffer most seriously, and many of them disastrously, unless the public promptly recognizes the situation and accepts an advance in subscription and in advertising rates and thus saves the situation.

The day laborer, the mechanic, the farmer and nearly all business interests, manufacturing and mercantile, under the activity of the times are showing larger earnings than for years. But the newspapers, as a whole, are meeting a more perplexing problem in the doubling, and in some cases the tripling, of price of paper, and in the absolute inability to contract in advance for supplies, than they have ever had to face before. The statements which have recently appeared in the daily papers on the subject do not at all exaggerate the seriousness of the problem.

NEW YORK FARMERS BOOST MILK PRICES

Special to The Washington Herald. Albany, N. Y., Sept. 10.—Nearly a cent a quart is to be added to the price the farmers are to receive for milk shipped into New York City if the schedule determined upon by the executive committee of the State Dairy-men's League, and to be presented to John J. Dillon, State commissioner of food and markets, is accepted by the wholesale companies.

Through more economical means of distribution the members of the committee say they do not believe it will be necessary for the wholesalers in New York City to make an increase in the price of milk.

BATHING GIRLS WEAR PICTURES OF FAVORITES

Lyons, Mass., Sept. 10.—Nearly every day while the sun is shining along Kings Beach for the last few days bathing girls have been seen with something dark and shiny, ranging in size from a square inch to two or three inches, just above their elbows or a little higher.

Of course you wondered, and wondered, and then probably you had just picked out a young woman who looked rather accommodating and were going to ask her, when she jumped up and trotted into the water. When she came back she still had the patch in the same place.

Those little gray patches are really films, and they have the features of some favorite of these fair maidens. This is the way it's done:

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